

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:  
DALE E. GULICK

Serial No.: 10/084,596

Filed: February 27, 2002

For: EMBEDDED PROCESSOR WITH  
DIRECT CONNECTION OF SECURITY  
DEVICES FOR ENHANCED SECURITY

Conf. No. 8995

Group Art Unit: 2137

Examiner: J. Williams

Atty. Dkt. No.: 2000.051900

Customer No. 023720

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED AUGUST 7, 2006**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action dated August 7, 2006, for which the three-month date for response is November 7, 2006.

The Commissioner is authorized to deduct any fees that may be required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 from Williams, Morgan & Amerson's P.C. Deposit Account 50-0786/2000.051900.

Reconsideration of the application in view of the following remarks is respectfully requested.